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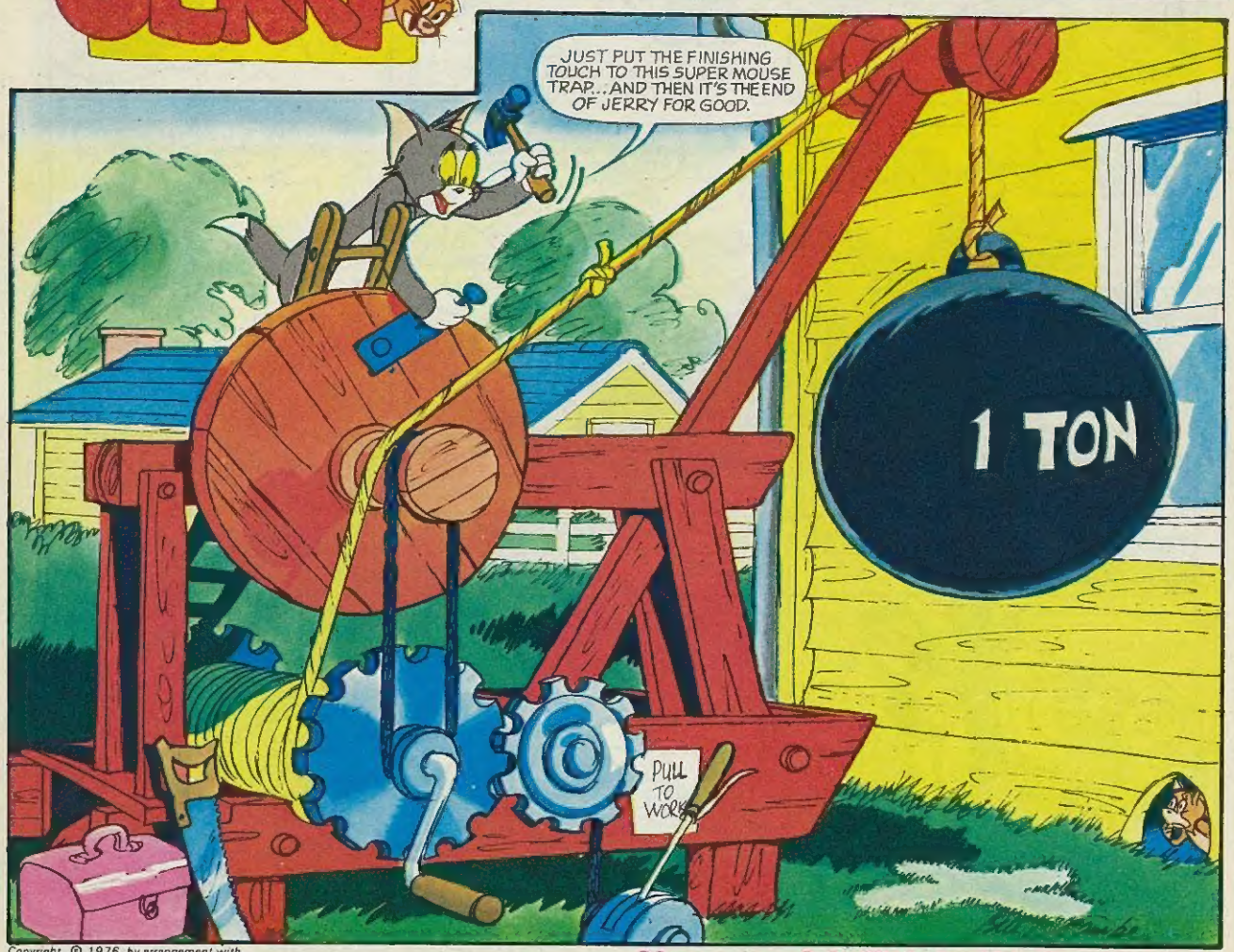
TOM and JERRY



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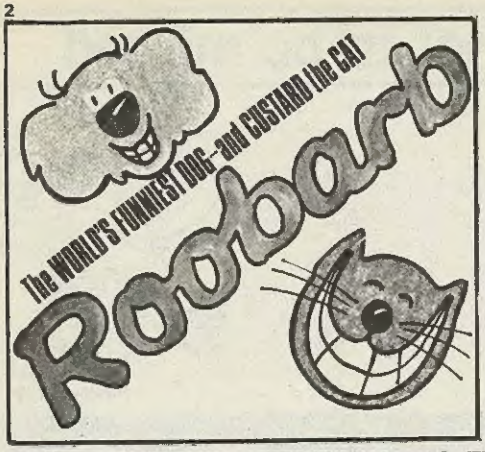
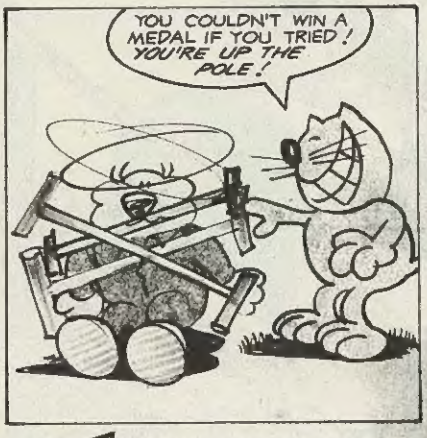


THE ANSWER, AS IF WE DIDN'T KNOW!!
I DIDN'T DO IT! I'M STILL TEN SECONDS OUTSIDE THE TIME FOR THE TWENTY METRE RUSH!
WHAT ARE YOU UP TO NOW, ROOBARB?



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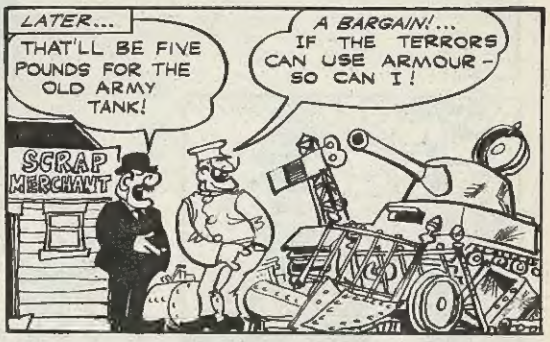
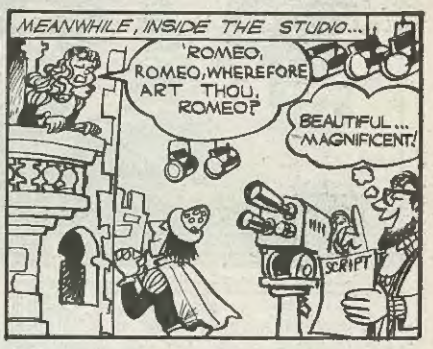
Coming — Roobarb the bird-dog

TV Terrors





The Terrors save the Show next week

TARZAN

MATUBA, an evil Chief, wishes to destroy Tarzan. The Lord of the Jungle arrives at the village to face the Chief and his remaining warriors.

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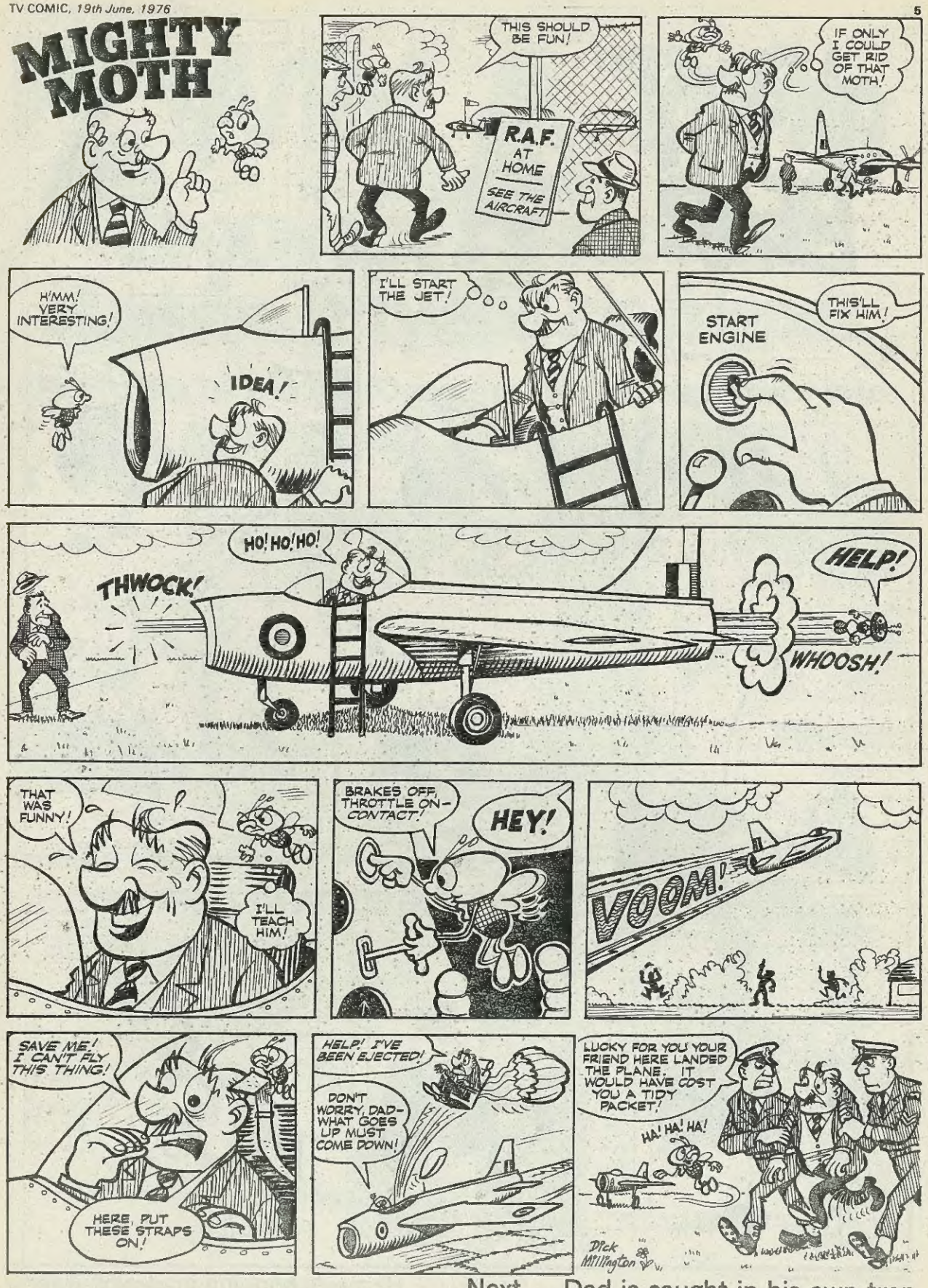
Next week — an other attempt to kill Tarzan

MIGHTY MOTH



Next — Dad is caught in his own trap

BARNEY BEAR

ALL READY FOR A COUNTRY WALK, MOOSE ?
I'M RARIN' TO GO, BARNEY!
SO . . .
SQUEAK! SQUEAK!
MOOSE, YOUR SHOES ARE SQUEAKING AND IT'S GETTING ON MY NERVES!
SQUEAK! SQUEAK!
I CAN'T STAND IT ANY LONGER! YOU'LL HAVE TO TAKE THEM OFF!
SQUEAK! SQUEAK!
IT'S NOT VERY NICE HAVING TO WALK IN BARE FEET, BARNEY!
I'M SORRY, BUT IT WAS SPOILING MY WALK!
RIGHT, LET'S GET GOING AGAIN!
?
SQUEAK! SQUEAK!
I DON'T UNDERSTAND! I'VE TAKEN MY SHOES OFF!
IT WASN'T YOUR SHOES SQUEAKING IT WAS YOUR FEET!
IT'S NO USE! I CAN'T PUT UP WITH THAT NOISE ANOTHER MINUTE! LET'S GO HOME!
MEVIN
BUT THAT'S A LONG WAY, BARNEY, AND IF THE SQUEAKING IS DRIVING YOU MAD...
THERE'S ONLY ONE THING FOR IT!
I WISH YOU'D STOP PUFF-PUFFING, BARNEY, IT'S GETTING ON MY NERVES!
PUFF-PUFF!

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Barney's hopping mad next week

NABISCO

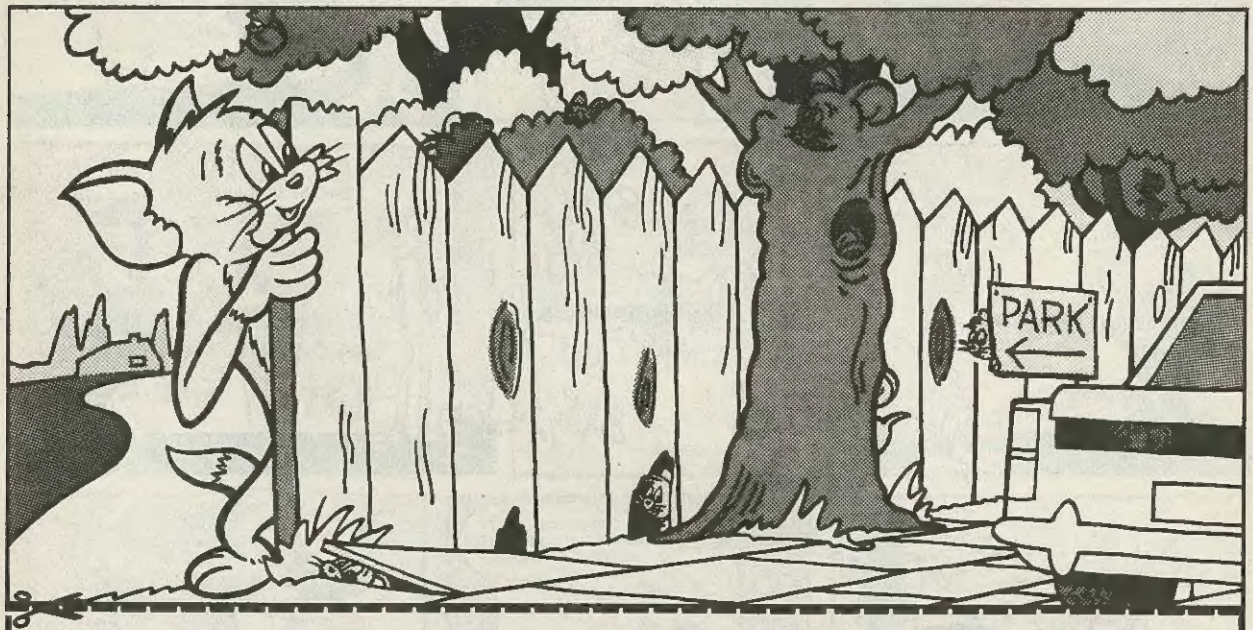
WIN A TV

IN THIS GREAT

SPOON SIZE & SHREDDIES

Hunt for Jerry and his friends

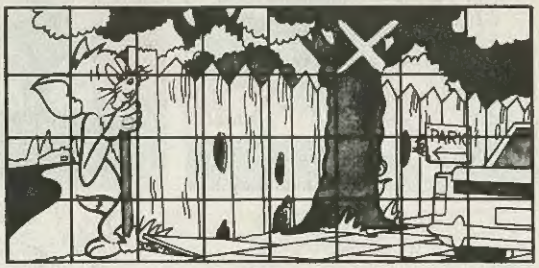
10 b/w portable TVs to be won. 50 second prizes of portable transistor radios



HEY KIDS, THIS IS WHAT YOU DO!

Help Tom find Jerry and his ten mouse friends in the big picture and then look at the smaller picture below. Decide which boxes Jerry and his friends are hiding in and put a cross through the **whole box.** Look, we've already found Jerry for you. Now you find the other 10 and complete this question **neatly** in 25 words or less.

Tom & Jerry are my favourite TV characters .
because



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Name

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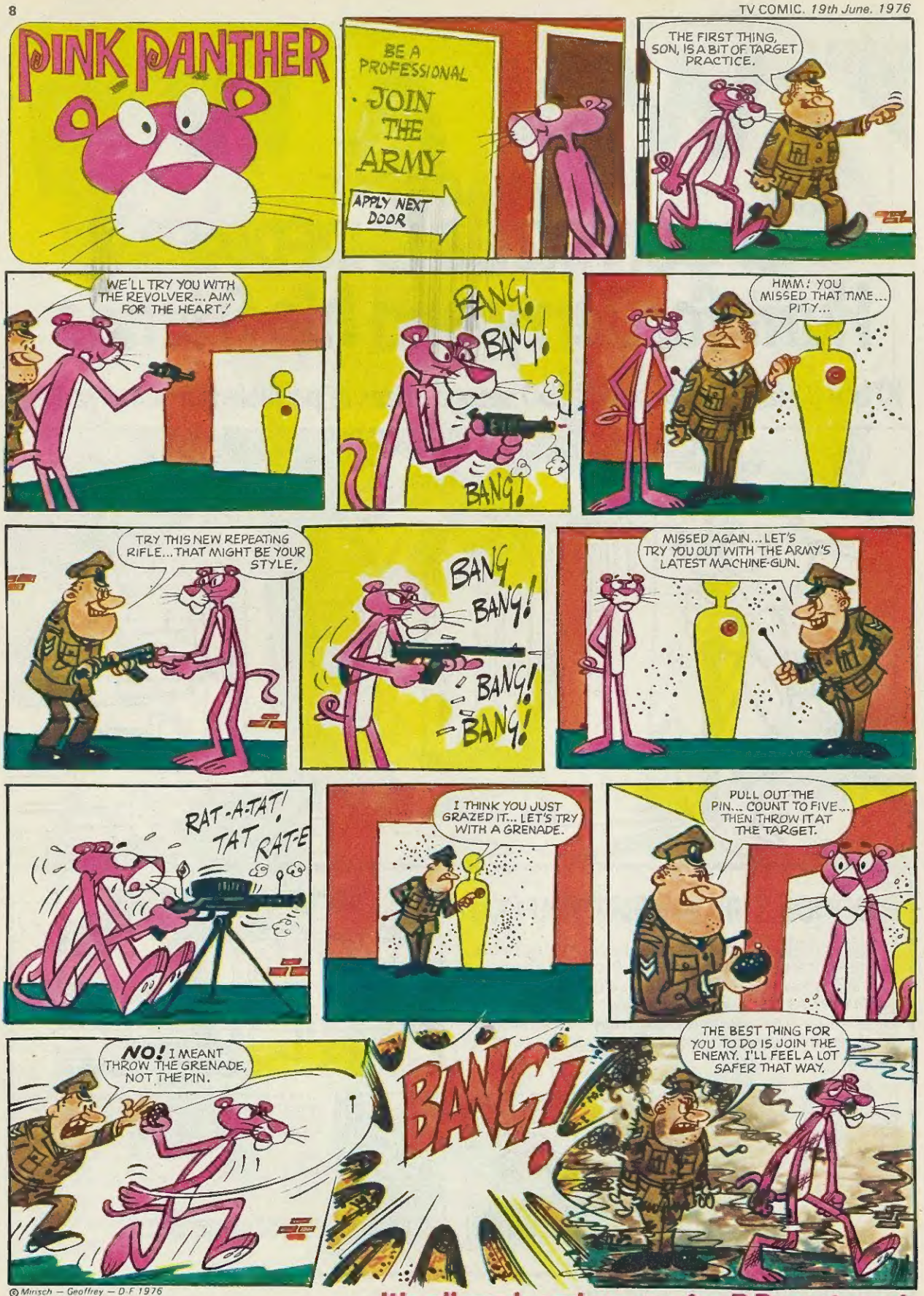
PINK PANTHER
BE A PROFESSIONAL
JOIN THE ARMY
APPLY NEXT DOOR
THE FIRST THING, SON, IS A BIT OF TARGET PRACTICE.
WE'LL TRY YOU WITH THE REVOLVER... AIM FOR THE HEART.
BANG! BANG! BANG!
HMM! YOU MISSED THAT TIME... PITY...
TRY THIS NEW REPEATING RIFLE... THAT MIGHT BE YOUR STYLE.
BANG BANG! BANG! BANG!
MISSED AGAIN... LET'S TRY YOU OUT WITH THE ARMY'S LATEST MACHINE-GUN.
RAT-A-TAT! TAT RAT-E
I THINK YOU JUST GRAZED IT... LET'S TRY WITH A GRENADE.
PULL OUT THE PIN... COUNT TO FIVE... THEN THROW IT AT THE TARGET.
NO! I MEANT THROW THE GRENADE, NOT THE PIN.
BANG!
THE BEST THING FOR YOU TO DO IS JOIN THE ENEMY. I'LL FEEL A LOT SAFER THAT WAY.

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It's all work and no pay for P.P. next week

DROOPY
GHOST TRAIN
ENTRANCE 10P
SHALL I?
NO. I WON'T BOTHER.
GHOST TRAIN
ENTRANCE 10P
I'M NOT REALLY SCARED!
YES I AM!
EXCUSE ME, IS THE GHOST TRAIN REALLY SCARY?
'OW SHOULD I KNOW, MATE? I'VE NEVER BEEN IN THERE!
ENTRANCE
YOU'VE NEVER BEEN IN THERE?
NO. I'M ONLY HERE TO COLLECT THE MONEY.
ENTRANCE 10P
IF I PAY YOUR FARE, WILL YOU GO IN AND TELL ME WHAT IT'S LIKE?
OKAY.
ENTRANCE 10P
SEE YOU SOON!
BANG! CRASH! HOWL!
WHAT HAPPENED? WHAT WAS IT LIKE?
GASP! IT WAS TERRIFYING! HORRIBLE! G...GHASTLY!
I WOULDN'T LET YOU GO IN THERE! I COULDN'T TAKE THE RISK!
NOW YOU'VE WHETTED MY APPETITE! I MUST GO IN! I MUST!
ALL RIGHT, BUT IT'S GOING TO COST YOU!
£1

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Ice Cream Screams with Droopy soon

BASIL BRUSH

NO WASHING UP DONE!... BEDS UNMADE!... NO SPUDS PEELED FOR LUNCH!... CHUMMERS HAS BEEN RATHER LAZY LATELY!
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HE'S OUT IN THE GARDEN. I'D BETTER HAVE A WORD WITH HIM!

CHUMMERS, I CAN HANDLE THE GARDENING. THERE'S LOTS TO BE DONE IN THE HOUSE!
I'M NOT GARDENIN', GUV!

I'VE BEEN DOIN' SOME EXCAVATIN' AND AT LAST I CAN PROVE THERE WAS A ROMAN VILLA ON THE SITE OF BRUSH MANOR!

I SAY! I WONDER IF THERE WAS A BRUSH HERE THEN?
THERE WAS, GUV! THIS TILED PAVEMENT TELLS THE STORY.

'IS NAME WAS BASILIUS BRUSHIUS, ROMAN GOVERNOR OF WILDINIUM...
BASILIUS BRUSHIUS

" 'E WAS 'AVIN' A BIT OF TROUBLE WITH ONE OF 'IS SLAVES..."
THIS VILLA IS A DISGRACE! WHERE'S THAT LAZY, NO-GOOD SLAVE, CHUMMIUS?

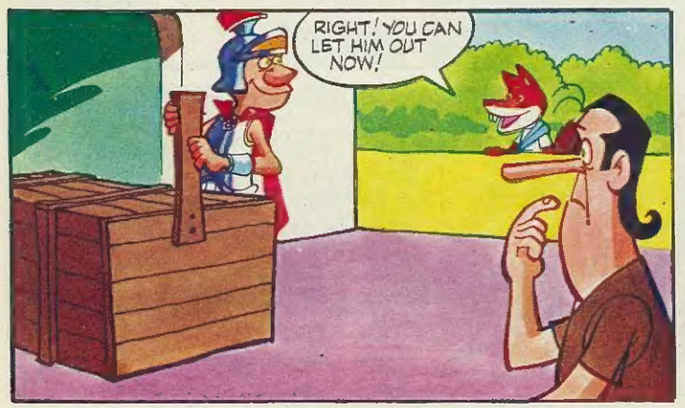
CHUMMIUS, I'VE HAD ENOUGHIUS! YOU'RE NOT WORKING HARD ENOUGH! IN FACT, YOU'RE NOT WORKING AT ALL!

IT'S ME MEAD BREAK, GUV'NOR! THE SLAVES UNION RULES DEFINITELY STATE I CAN 'AVE 'ARF-AN-HOUR BREAK EVERY THIRTY MINUTES!

HOW AM I GOING TO GET THAT SLOPPY SLAVE WORKING?
MAY I MAKE A SUGGESTION, SIR?

CERTAINLY, CENTURION!
WHY NOT TRY THE GOOD, OLD FASHIONED METHOD WE USE BACK HOME IN ROME?

SO...
'EY! WHAT'S GOIN' ON? I'M 'AVIN' ME BREAK!
JUST COME INTO THE COURTYARD!


RIGHT! YOU CAN LET HIM OUT NOW!

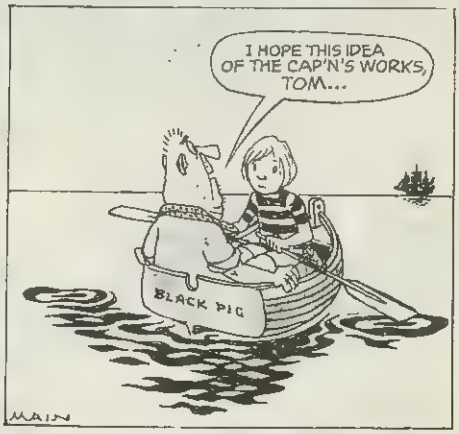
ROAR!
YA!

CALL 'IM ORF! I'LL WORK! HONEST I WILL!

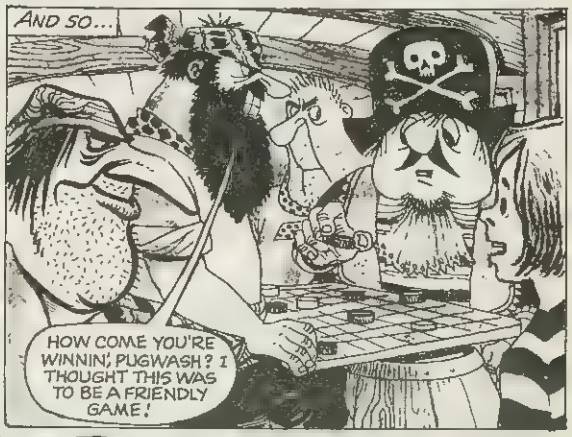
WHAT AN INTERESTING STORY!
I'D BETTER GO AND DO SOME WORK BEFORE THE GUV SETS THE CAT ON ME!

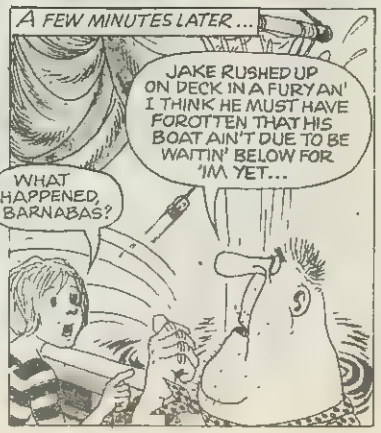
Captain PUGWASH

THE 'BLACK PIG' HAD BEEN BECALMED FOR DAYS AND CAPTAIN PUGWASH AND HIS CREW WERE GETTING VERY, VERY BORED.



CAP'N PUGWASH SAYS PAX, CAP'N JAKE, AND WOULD YOU CARE TO COME OVER FOR A GAME OF DRAUGHTS TO LIVEN THINGS UP A BIT!
WHY, THAT'S HANDSOME OF HIM, LAD. TELL HIM I'LL BE DELIGHTED TO ACCEPT HIS INVITATION.




A FEW MINUTES LATER...
JAKE RUSHED UP ON DECK IN A FURY AN' I THINK HE MUST HAVE FOROTTEN THAT HIS BOAT AIN'T DUE TO BE WAITIN' BELOW FOR 'IM YET...
WHAT HAPPENED, BARNABAS?

KIDS...COLLECT THESE TERRIFIC NEW PLAYPEOPLE-FREE!

Now four of your favourite breakfast cereals have a very special offer!

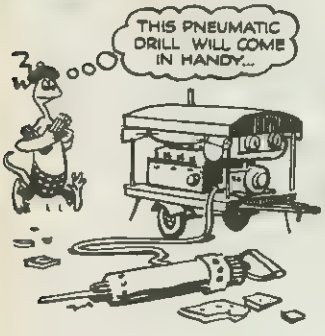
Playpeople are Cowboys, Knights, Roadworkers or Indians. They're about three inches tall. And they do anything you want them to -- stand up, bend down, lie down, ride, push, pull, stand on ladders, move their arms, turn their heads.

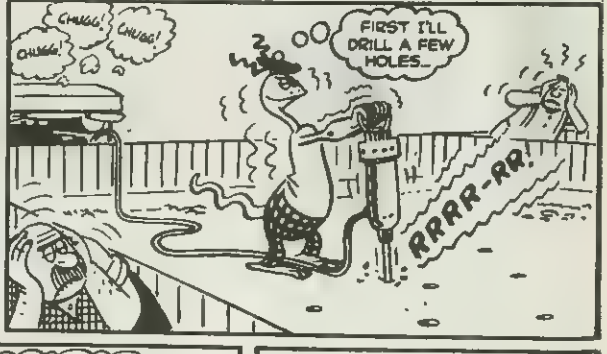
Playpeople are real fun! And you can collect them FREE, now, with five packet tops from either Coco Krispies, Puffa Puffa Rice, Ricicles or Sugar Smacks. Start saving packet tops now – have one of the Playpeople to breakfast, soon.

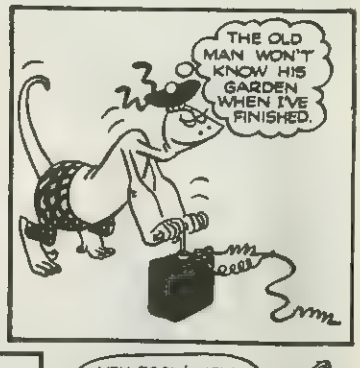
Kellogg's

LOCHY

THE FUNNY WEE MONSTER

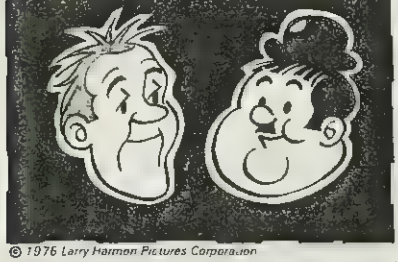






Meet Lochy the crook catcher next week

LAUREL & HARDY



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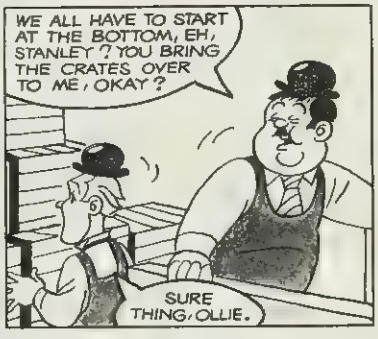
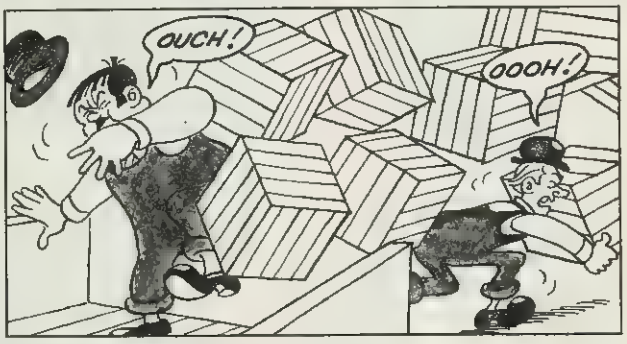
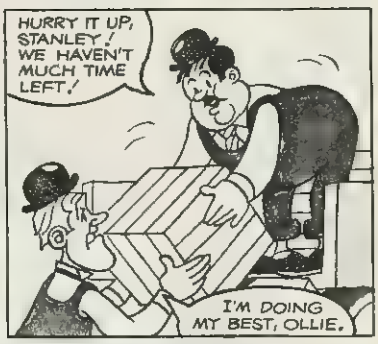
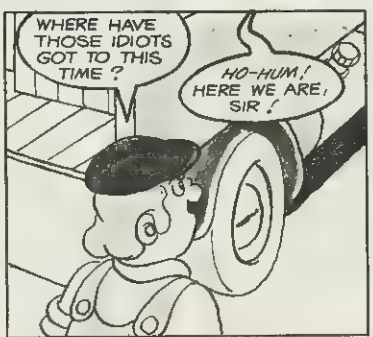
HERE WE ARE, SIR, BRIGHT AND EARLY AND RARING TO GO, AREN'T WE, STANLEY ?
TAKEM'S TRANSPORT
THAT'S RIGHT, OLLIE. JUST SHOW US TO OUR TRUCK, MISTER !









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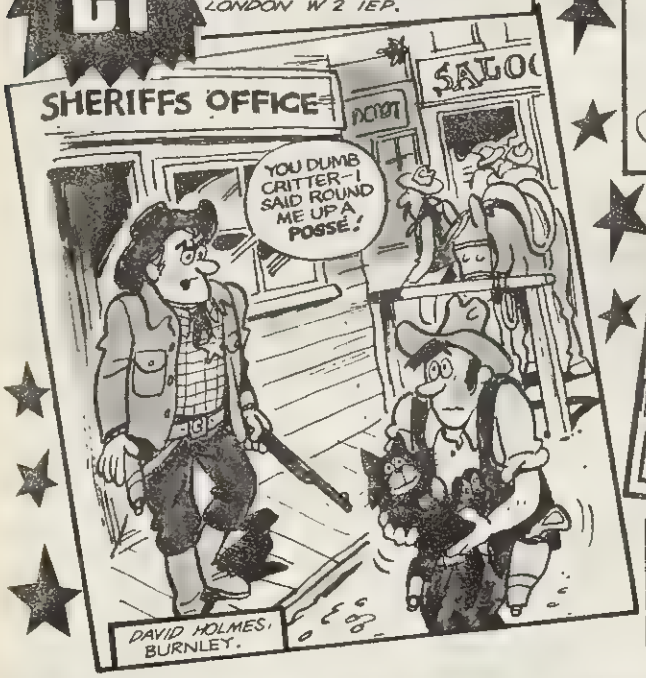

Here are the lucky winners of Prize Crossword No. 58.

Alexander Wateford, London, N.1.
Stuart Grains, Whiteness, Shetlands.
Anita Jarman, Avonmouth, Bristol.
Neil Kitchen, Preston, Lancs.
Fiona Grant, Edinburgh.
Deena Sexton, Middlesex

FREE!

STAMP COMPETITION

CAN YOU TELL US?

1 What country issued "The Penny Black" in 1840? .....

2 What country NEVER puts its name on its stamps .....

3 Have Writers or poets ever appeared on British stamps? .....

4 Has TUTANKHAMUN ever appeared on British stamps? .....

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14 Packet of stamps

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POPEYE
ADMIRAL REQUIRES SAILOR TO SAIL HIS YACHT, POPEYE! SOUNDS JUST THE JOB FOR YOU!
ME TOO!
1034
I'LL GO AN' APPLY FER IT, OLIVE!
I'VE GONE ALREADY!
THIS IS WHERE I GET THE JOB!
AND THIS IS WHERE I BEAT YOU TO IT!
POW!
I GOTTA FEELIN' THAT SLOB'S AFTER MY JOB!
AN' I'VE A FEELIN' HE'S GONNA GET IT!
SAILIN' BOATS IS CHILD'S PLAY TO ME, SIR!
GOOD! YOU'RE HIRED UNTIL YOU'RE FIRED!
THAT'S ME OUT!
LATER...
DIDN'T YOU GET THE JOB, POPEYE?
NAW! BRUTUS BEAT ME TO IT!
THEN HOW COME I JUST SAW BRUTUS IN THE PARK BY THE BOATING POND?
IS THAT A FACK? MEBBE HE GOT THE SACK!
YOU SCRAPE PAINT OFF THE HULL AGAIN AND I'LL DOCK IT OFF YOUR PAY!
AYE AYE, SIR!
WELL WATCHA KNOW?
ARF! ARF! YOU WUZ RIGHT ABOUT THE JOB BEIN' CHILDS PLAY, YAH BIG KID!
BOK!
WATCH WHAT YOU'RE AT! YOU CLUMSY OAF! YOU'VE SAILED IT INTO THE SIDE! GRRRR!
ARF! ARF! I'M SURE GLAD YOU FELL IN FER THE JOB NOW, INSTEAD O' ME!

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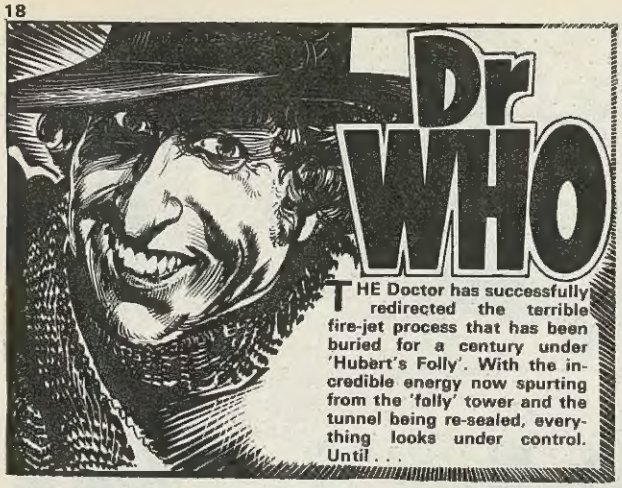
Next week — A brawl at the ball



THE Doctor has successfully redirected the terrible fire-jet process that has been buried for a century under 'Hubert's Folly'. With the incredible energy now spurting from the 'folly' tower and the tunnel being re-sealed, everything looks under control. Until . . .

MINUTES LATER, AN EXPERT LABOUR FORCE BLOCKS IN THE FINAL METRES...
WE'RE NEARLY THROUGH, DOCTOR.
IN THAT CASE I'D BETTER GET MYSELF READY FOR THE FINAL STAGE.

AND SO...
I'M GOING INTO THE TOWER. IF I DON'T RETURN IN FIVE MINUTES, BLAST THE TOWER WITH MORTARS AND LOWER THE VALVE BY FORCE!
IT WON'T COME TO THAT, DOCTOR!

NERVES ARE TAUT AS A SINGLE FIGURE GOES TOWARDS THE FLAMING TOWER...
HERE GOES! I NEED MORE THAN LUCK NOT TO BE BURNED TO A CINDER!

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I... MUST... DO IT!
OUTSIDE...
RIGHT, MEN. TIME'S UP!
NO, MAJOR! WAIT! LOOK!
HOLD YOUR FIRE! HE'S DONE IT!
DOCTOR...
NEXT DAY...
YOU STILL HAVEN'T EXPLAINED WHAT IT WAS BURIED UNDER THERE.
LOOSELY, I SUPPOSE YOU COULD EXPLAIN IT AS A CHAIN REACTION OF CERTAIN GASES.
YOUR ANCESTOR CAME UPON IT QUITE BY ACCIDENT. ONLY THE PRESENCE OF LIGHT AND OXYGEN WAS NEEDED TO START IT UP AGAIN.
HOW DID YOU REALLY KNOW ALL ABOUT HUBERT'S FOLLY, DOCTOR?
AS I SAID BEFORE, YOUNG MAN, I HELPED TO DESIGN IT!
BUT THAT WOULD MAKE YOU OVER A HUNDRED YEARS OLD..!

Next — A super new mystery for the for the Doctor.

Next, Jerry's romance is ruined by — guess who?

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